

BHAGAVADGITA PARAYANA - CHAPTER 17

ōṁ śrī paramātmanē namaḥ
atha saptadaśō'dhyāyah
śraddhātrayavibhāgayaḥ

arjuna uvācha

yē śāstravidhimutsṛjya yajantē śraddhayānvitāḥ ॥
tēśāṁ niṣṭhā tu kā krṣṇa sattvamāhō rajastamaḥ ॥ 1॥

śrī bhagavān uvācha

trividhā bhavati śraddhā dēhināṁ sā svabhāvajā ॥
sāttvikī rājasī chaiva tāmasī chēti tām śṛṇu ॥ 2॥

sattvānurūpā sarvasya śraddhā bhavati bhārata ॥
śraddhāmayo'yaṁ puruṣaḥ yō yach Chraddhaḥ sa ēva saḥ ॥ 3॥

yajantē sāttvikā dēvān yakṣarakṣāṁsi rājasāḥ ॥
prētānbhūtagaṇāṁśchānyē yajantē tāmasā janāḥ ॥ 4॥

aśāstravihitāṁ ghōram tapyantē yē tapō janāḥ ॥
dambhāhaṅkārasaṁyuktāḥ kāmarāgabalānvitāḥ ॥ 5॥

karśayantaḥ śarīrastham bhūtagrāmamachētasah ॥
mām chaivāntaḥ śarīrastham tānviddyāsuraniśchayān ॥ 6॥

āhārastvapi sarvasya trividhō bhavati priyah ॥
yajñastapastathā dānam tēśāṁ bhēdamimam śṛṇu ॥ 7॥

āyuḥsattvabalārōgya-sukhaprītivardhanāḥ ॥
rasyāḥ snigdhāḥ sthirā hṛdyāḥ āhārāḥ sāttvikapriyāḥ ॥ 8॥

kaṭvamlalavaṇātyuṣṇa-tīkṣṇarūkṣavidāhinaḥ ॥
āhārā rājasasyeṣṭāḥ duḥkhaśōkāmayapradāḥ ॥ 9॥

yātayāmam gatarasam pūti paryuṣitam cha yat ॥
uch Chiṣṭamapi chāmēdhyam bhōjanam tāmasapriyam ॥ 10॥

aphalākāṅkṣibhīryajñāḥ vidhidṛṣṭō ya ijyatē ॥
yaṣṭavyamēvēti manah samādhāya sa sāttvikah ॥ 11॥

abhisandhāya tu phalam dambhārthamapi chaiva yat ॥
ijyatē bharataśrēṣṭha tam yajñam viddhi rājasam ॥ 12॥

vidhihīnamasṛṣṭānnam mantrahīnamadakṣiṇam ॥
śraddhāvirahitam yajñam tāmasam parichakṣatē ॥ 13॥

dēvadvijaguruprājña-pūjanam śauchamārjavam ॥
brahmacharyamahimśā cha śārīram tapa uchyatē ॥ 14॥

anudvēgakaram vākyam satyam priyahitam cha yat ॥
svādhyāyābhyananam chaiva vāñmayam tapa uchyatē ॥ 15॥

manah prasādaḥ saumyatvam maunamātmavinigrahaḥ ॥
bhāvasamśuddhityētat tapō mānasamuchyatē ॥ 16॥

śraddhayā parayā taptam̄ tapastattrividham̄ naraiḥ ॥
aphalākāṅkṣibhiryuktaiḥ sāttvikam̄ parichakṣatē ॥ 17॥

satkāramānapūjārtham̄ tapō dambhēna chaiva yat ॥
kriyatē tadiha prōktam̄ rājasam̄ chalamadhruvam ॥ 18॥

mūḍhagrāhēṇātmanō yat pīḍayā kriyatē tapaḥ ॥
parasyōtsādanārtham̄ vā tattāmasamudāhṛtam ॥ 19॥

dātavyamiti yaddānam dīyatē'nupakāriṇē ॥
dēśe kālē cha pātrē cha taddānam sāttvikam smṛtam ॥ 20॥

yattu pratyupakārārtham̄ phalamuddiśya vā punaḥ ॥
dīyatē cha parikliṣṭam̄ taddānam rājasam̄ smṛtam ॥ 21॥

adēśakālē yaddānam apātrēbhyaścha dīyatē ॥
asatkṛtamavajñātam̄ tattāmasamudāhṛtam ॥ 22॥

ōṁ tatsaditi nirdēśaḥ brahmaṇastrividhaḥ smṛtaḥ ॥
brāhmaṇāstēna vēdāścha yajñāścha vihitāḥ purā ॥ 23॥

tasmādōmityudāhṛtya yajñadānatapaḥkriyāḥ ॥
pravartantē vidhānōktāḥ satataṁ brahmavādinām ॥ 24॥

tadityanabhisandhāya phalam yajñatapaḥkriyāḥ ॥
dānakriyāścha vividhāḥ kriyantē mōkṣakāṅkṣibhiḥ ॥ 25॥

sadbhāvē sādhubhāvē cha sadityētatprayujyatē ॥
praśastē karmaṇi tathā sachChabdaḥ pārtha yujyatē ॥ 26॥

yajñē tapasi dānē cha sthitih saditi chōchyatē □
karma chaiva tadarthīyam sadityēvābhidhīyatē □ 27□

aśraddhayā hutam dattam tapastaptam kṛtam cha yat □
asadityuchyatē pārtha na cha tatprētya nō iha □ 28□

□ ḍōm tatsaditi śrīmadbhagavadgītāsu upaniṣatsu brahmavidyāyāṁ
yōgaśāstrē śrīkṛṣṇārjunasamvādē śraddhātrayavibhāgāyōgō nāma saptadaśō'dhyāyah
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